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3. (Previously added) A control system for a polyphase AC motor having a predetermined
horsepower rating, comprising:

> two or more integrated AC motor controllers, each integrated controller having a
>> horsepower rating less than the horsepower rating of the AC motor to be
>> controlled, each integrated controller comprising a rectifier section, an inverter
>> section and a controller section;
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> the rectifier section of each integrated controller being supplied with polyphase AC
>> power;
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> the inverter section of each integrated controller generating a polyphase, variable
>> frequency, pulse-width-modulated power output; and
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> a parallel controller communicating with and controlling each integrated controller to
>> thereby control the AC motor.

4. (Previously added) The control system of claim 3, wherein the motor is rated at 800
horsepower or greater.

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5. (Previously added) The control system of claim 3, wherein each integrated controller is rated
for 400 horsepower or less.

6. (Previously added) The control system of claim 3, wherein the number of integrated
controllers is 3 to 8.

7. (Previously added) The control system of claim 7, further comprising a dynamic brake.

8. (Previously added) The control system of claim 7, wherein the dynamic brake is a chopper
circuit.

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9. (Previously added) The control system of claim 7, wherein the dynamic brake is intelligent.

10. (Previously added) The control system of claim 7, wherein the dynamic brake is controlled by the parallel controller.

11. (Previously added) The control system of claim 3, further comprising a conditioning section.

12. (Previously added) A method of controlling an AC motor of predetermined horsepower, comprising:

> providing a plurality of integrated AC motor control systems each having a horsepower
>> rating less that the AC motor to be controlled and each of the integrated control
>> systems comprising a rectifier section, an inverter section and a controller section;
> supplying polyphase AC power to the rectifier section of each integrated control system;
> generating a polyphase, variable frequency, pulse-width-modulated power signal from
>> the inverter sections of each integrated control system;
> interfacing a parallel controller with each integrated control system; and
> controlling each integrated control system with the parallel controller to thereby control
>> the AC motor.

13. (Previously added) The method of claim 12, wherein the motor is rated at 800 horsepower or greater.

14. (Previously added) The method of claim 12, wherein each integrated control system is rated for 400 horsepower or less.

15. (Previously added) The method of claim 12, wherein 3 to 8 integrated control systems are provided.